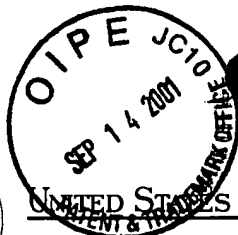


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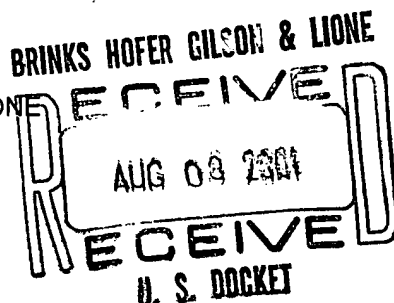


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  - \$240 for 3 independent claims over 3.
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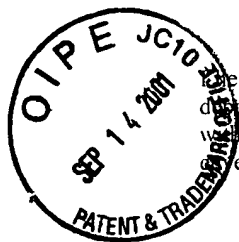
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Serial No.: 09/872,736

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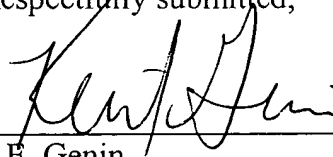
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- ☒ Fully executed Declaration for Patent Application and Power of Attorney for the above-referenced patent application.
- ☒ Applicant is:
- ☒ a small entity
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- ☒ Checks totaling \$765 for:
- ☒ Filing Fee of \$355.
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- ☒ Additional Claim Fees of \$345.
- ☐ Petition for Extension of Time (37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a)) to file missing parts (in duplicate).
- ☒ Other: Preliminary Amendment; Assignment Recordation Cover Sheet; Assignment; Information Disclosure Statement; PTO Form 1449; One Copy of References A68, and A79-A82; Submission of Formal Drawings; 17 Sheets of Formal Drawings.
- ☒ The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any deficiencies in fees or credit overpayment to Deposit Account No. 23-1925. A duplicate copy of this paper is enclosed.

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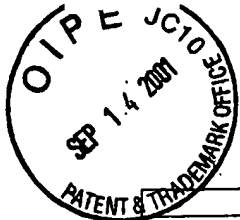
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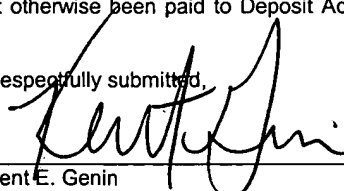
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- ☐ Small entity status of this application under 37 CFR § 1.27 has been established by verified statement previously submitted.
- ☐ A verified statement to establish small entity status under 37 CFR §§ 1.9 and 1.27 is enclosed.
- ☐ Petition for a \_\_\_\_\_ month extension of time.
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